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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir,

This Amendment and Response is being filed in reply to the Office Action having a mailing date of September 4, 2007. A request for a three-month extension of time to extend the time for response from December 4, 2007 to March 4, 2008, is being submitted herewith, along with the requisite fee. If any additional fees are due, please debit them to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.